

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, immediately after the title with the following amended paragraph:

This application is ~~a~~ <sup>371</sup> the national stage of PCT/DK00/00522, filed September 20,2000, published in English, which ~~is a non-provisional~~ claims benefit of 60/161,938, filed October 28, 1999.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, line 16 with the following amended paragraph:

The anti-auxins according to the invention include but are not limited to the following compounds as well as analogues and derivatives thereof:  $\alpha$ -(1-naphtylmethyl-sulfide)-isobutyric acid,  $\alpha$ -(1-naphtylmethyl-sulfide)-propionic acid,  $\alpha$ -(2-naphtylmethyl-sulfide)-isobutyric acid,  $\alpha$ -(2-naphtylmethyl-sulfide)-propionic acid,  $\delta$ -(naphtylmethyl-selenide)- $\eta$ -valeric acid, (-)- $\alpha$ -(2,4,5-trichlorophenoxy)-propionic acid, (-)- $\alpha$ -(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)-propionic acid, (-)- $\alpha$ -(2-naphthoxy)-propionic acid, (+)- $\alpha$ -(1-naphthoxy)-propionic acid, (3-phenyl, 1,2,4-thiadiazol-5-yl)thioacetic acid (PTAA),  $\beta$ -~~naphthalene~~ naphthalene acetic acid ( $\beta$ -NAA),  $\gamma$ -phenylbutyric acid, 1-(naphthylmethyl-sulfide)-propionic acid, 1-naphthylmethyl-selenidacetic acid, 2-(naphthylmethyl-sulfide)-propionic acid, 2-(o-chlorophenoxy)-2-methylpropionic acid, 2,3,4,5,6-pentachlorophenoxyisobutryric acid, 2,3,5-tri-iodobenzoic acid (TIBA), 2,3,5-triiodobenzoic acid, 2,4,5-trichlorophenoxyisobutyric acid, 2,4,6-trichlorophenoxyacetic acid (2,4,6-T), 2,4,6-trichlorophenoxyisobutyric acid 2,4-dichloroanisole (2,4-DCS), 2,4-dichlorophenoxyisobutyric acid (2,4-DCIP), 2,4-dichlorophenylsulfoneacetic acid, 2-4-dichlorophenylsulfoxideacetic acid, 2-6-~~dichlorophenoxyacetic~~ dichlorophenoxyacetic acid, 2-chlorophenoxyisobutyric acid, 2-naphtylmethyl-selenidacetic acid, 3-chlorophenoxyisobutyric acid, 3-indoleisobutryric acid, 3-nitro-4-flourobenzoid acid, 4-chlorophenoxyisobutyric acid, 5-methyltryptophan, 7-aza-indol, 9-hydroxyfluorene-9-carboxylic acid (HFCA), ferulic acid,

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flavonoids, indole-isobutyric acid, kaempferol, maleic hydrazide, naptalam (N-1-naphtylphthalamic acid), p-Chlorophenoxyisobutyric acid (PCIB), p-coumaric acid, phenoxyacetic acid, phenoxyisobutyric acid, phenylpropionic acid, quercitin, trans-cinnamic acid.